



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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WALT, *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 2874
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Application Number: 09/925,292) Examiner: SANGHAVI, Hemang
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the time to submit a response to the Final Office Action due March 30, 2004, be extended by three months to June 30, 2004. A check including the requisite fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-2319, referencing Order No. A-67209-6/RMS/DCF (469249-00051).

Respectfully submitted,

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